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23 JAN 1950

The Honorable Ken Regan  
U. S. House of Representatives  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Regan:

I wish to thank you for your letter of 14 January 1950, enclosing a letter from [redacted] Texas. [redacted] letter is being returned to you herewith, as you requested.

I have taken the liberty of writing [redacted] directly; a copy of this letter is also enclosed for your information.

Many thanks for your kindness in bringing this matter to our attention.

Sincerely,

*W.H. Hillenkoetter*  
- via CC 1/23/50

W. H. HILLENKOETTER  
DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

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January 14, 1950

Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter,  
Director, Central Intelligence,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Admiral Hillenkoetter:

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There is enclosed a letter from [redacted] of [redacted]  
[redacted], Texas, who believes he has worked out a code that  
can not be broken and which he wishes to bring to the  
attention of the proper Federal authorities.

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I shall appreciate your suggestions in the matter and  
the return of the enclosure when its contents have been  
noted.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Ken Regan

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[Redacted]  
January 9, 1950

Hon. Ken Regan, M.C.  
The House Office Building,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Regan,

I have invented a code for messages in the form of a cryptogram that I believe cannot be broken. It has over a million transpositions, making it possible to write that many letters in different keys.

I want to offer to sell it to the government, but I don't know just how to go about it. Can you tell me to whom I should write?

I shall appreciate your help very much.

Sincerely yours,

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